GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:319
ANSWERED ON:07.12.2016
High and Low Power Transmitters
Nete Shri Ashok Mahadeorao

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the number of high and low power Television transmitters, State-wise and location-wise;

(b) whether the Government has sanctioned any scheme for installation of more high power T.V. transmitters in the States; and

(c) if so, the details thereof, location-wise and the time period fixed for each such project?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
(SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU)

(a) to (c) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION No. *319 FOR ANSWER ON 07.12.2016
(a) to (c) Prasar Bharati has informed that Doordarshan has 228 High Power Transmitters (HPTs) and 806 Low Power Transmitters (LPTs) in its terrestrial TV network. State/UT-wise and location-wise list of above HPTs & LPTs is given at Annexure.
As part of continuing schemes of 12th Plan, following transmitter projects have been approved for implementation in J&K:
1. HPT, Green Ridge
2. HPT, Himbotingla
3. HPT, Natha Top (Patnitop)
4. HPTs, Rajouri (DD National & DD News)

The target to complete these projects in phased manner has been set for about two years. No other new high power TV transmitters have been sanctioned.
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